HOUSE BILL 1441

By Dunn

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 34, Part 1, relative to family planning.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-34-104, is amended adding the following language as a new subdivision:

(7) To protect the integrity of the family, contraceptive procedures and contraceptive supplies may be furnished by a physician, state or county health or welfare department or agency, a medical facility in an institution of higher learning, or by another agency or instrumentality of the state, to a minor only after at least one (1) of such minor's parents or legal guardian has been informed of the procedure or supply to be provided.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.